

## REMARKS/ARGUMENT

### **Request for Extension of Time:**

A Request for Extension of Time has been filed herewith.

### **Information Disclosure Statement:**

A submission in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 56, 97, and 98 accompanies this communication.

### **Regarding the Claims in General:**

New claims 56-95 are now pending. Claims 1-55 have been canceled without prejudice.

No new matter has been introduced by the new claims.

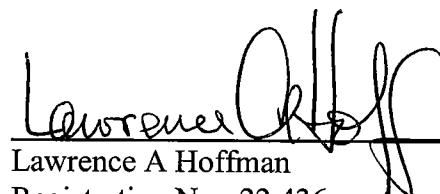
### **Regarding the Response to the Requirement for Election of Species:**

All of claims 56-95 are deemed to read on the elected species. Claims 56 and 84 are deemed to be generic.

In view of the foregoing, early action on the merits and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited.

THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING  
SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY  
THROUGH THE PATENT AND  
TRADEMARK OFFICE EFS FILING  
SYSTEM ON July 3, 2007

Respectfully submitted,



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